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AMENDMENT UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.111Assistant Commissioner for Patents
Washington, DC 20231

February 12, 2003

Sir:

In reply to the outstanding Office Action dated August 12, 2002, the period for replying having been extended three (3) months to February 12, 2002, the following amendments and remarks are respectfully submitted in connection with the above-identified application.

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IN THE CLAIMS:

Please amend the claims as follows:

6. (Twice Amended) A compound of the formula (II"):

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